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DEPUTIES' MEETING

Present: Mr. Dulles, Mr. Bissell, Mr. Amory, Colonel White, General Truscott, Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Helms, Mr. Barnes, Dr. Kent,



MR. BISSELL:

Stated he felt there should be a review of our present policy governing marriage of CIA employees to aliens and pointed out that, in his opinion, two standards in particular should apply: (1) the security aspects of the alien concerned and (2) future utility of the employee. The Director noted that these criteria are already in effect and, in addition, consideration is always given to the equity the Agency has in the employee; i.e., length of service, training, professional competence, etc. Mr. Helms commented that General Cabell carefully considers each request for retention after marriage to a foreign national and, in his opinion, the procedures now being followed are fair and adequate. The Director agreed. It was also agreed, however, that we might expect a possible increase in requests for retention after marriage to a foreign national in view of the JOT program. It was pointed out that by and large these young men are bachelors, their training program is such that little or no time is available for association with the opposite sex, and since a number of them will be slated for overseas duty, it is only human nature that some can be expected to marry aliens.

MR. HELMS:



COLONEL WHITE:

a. Stated there is a good chance that we may not have a Senate hearing on our budget unless we take the initiative. It was agreed that we should request a hearing in order to prevent any criticism to the effect

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that the Agency was attempting to avoid a hearing or there is not sufficient interest on the part of the Senate committee to hold such a hearing. Action: The Director undertook to call Senators Hayden and Saltonstall.

b Stated that Mr. Warner had recommended that CIA provide inexpensive reproductions of our seal for placement in the various committee rooms of the Congress with which we have dealings. The Director concurred and commented it might be well to first check this out with the staffs of these committees. Action: DD/S

MR . KIRKPATRICK:

Referred to Dr. Killian's letter to Defense concerning the Baker Committee report on critical communications and stated after looking into this matter with Dr. Baker and others (OCI and Office of Communications), it was recommended that this Agency not comment. The Director concurred.



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